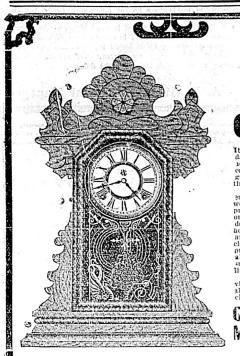
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G.W. Prescott Total Loss

Is Struck by Huge Sea and Turns Turtle Off the Columbia.

Part of the Crew Swept Overboard and One Man Is Drowned.

Captain With the Remainder Are Rescued by Steamer Connemaugh.

Scattle, March 12.—The schooner George W. Prescott, Emil Ramlose, which sailed fre

had a catch of \$1 skins when she was wrecked.

The steamer Conemaugh arrived here today, having on board Capt. Emil Rambose, Mate Hallagreen, and two other white men and 13 Indians, who were members of the crew of the lost schooner. The schooner was 30 miles off the mouth of the Columbia river on Tuesday when the heavy Southwest gale, with the wind blowing at a velocity of 56 miles an hour, overtook her and brought disaster to the sealer. She capsized and her crew had a close call from finding a sailor's grave.

The schooner left Victoria on January 10, and went to Dodger's Cove, where 14 Indians were secured. Then the schooner started Southward and \$1 skins had been taken in the fine wea-

kins had been taken in the fine we'n her toward the end of February. March skins had been taken in the fine weather toward the end of February. March 9 the weather began to breeze up, and on Tuesday last when the tremendous gale began to blow from the Southwest the schooner was laboring in a very heavy sea. The sea was running to a tremendous height on the morning of Tuesday, and the schooner was running under closely reefed storm sails, when two huge warves broke under the schooner's side, and she capsized. Both masts were snapped off by the heavy seas, and Capt. Ramlose and three Indians had been washed overboard before the schooner righted herself, with the stimps of her two masts standing and wreckage littered on the deck. The captain and two Indians managed to regain the schooner when she righted after a desperate struggle, they having clung to some wreckage. The other Indian was drowned.

n was drowned, he schooner's deck was littered with wreckage of her fallen masts, and seas pounding on her decks soon reriogged her. She drifted then helpily, waterlogged and sinking, with crew straining their eyes for a sail any passing vessel that might rescue m. One was sighted some hours aften accident and it seemed that retwest the head but the yessel wased.

vards the Vancouver Island coast.

The crew are expected to arrive home by the steamer Majestic today. The cost will amount to about \$5,000, partly overed by insurance. There were \$1 kins lost with the schooner. The leorge W. Prescott was built at Iron-lale in 1893, and was named after the vell known Californian who died a short ime ago. She was brought to Victoria way years ago by Capt. Douglas, who

New Denver

Research to the Alaskan coast and the Arctic in charge of Cant. Douglas, having been trading two years among the Northern villages and two years was spent whaling in the Arctic. She was brought to Victoria from Cape Nome via Reattle, Capt. Ramlose having, come from Nome, where he was engaged in mining, as mate of the vessel. Capt. Bouleas was involved in financial direction to satisfy libel claims made against her, and she was sold at auction to satisfy libel claims made against her. She was bought by Capt. Ramlose and there, and she was sold at auction to satisfy libel claims made against her. She was bought by Capt. Ramlose and there, and after spending one season, tied up in the upper harbor, she started seasing on January 10 last—the season which terminated in the loss of the schooner off the Columbia during Tuesday's gale.

GERMAN COUNT'S EXPERIENCES Praises New York and Americans With

Money to Throw at the Birds.

the min, the wind blowing from the South.

If the fire originated in McLachlan & Money to Throw at the Birds.

McGillivray's hotel, and destroyed this, less \$3,000, also J. B. Smith & Co.'s general store, \$5,000; hotel owned by the flerry Stege, loss \$5,500; Jeffrie's tind shop, loss, \$1,500. The Bank of Money to Throw at the Birds.

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Deadlock Toronte, March 12.—Ontario is greatly shocked by revelations of Gamey. Never has the public conscience been so aroused. The government will seek to minimize the effect of the revelations by proposing a reference to a commission of judges, probably Justices. MacLennan, Boyd and Osler. It is stated that several liberal members may bolt, in which case Rossmay be defeated. Eventurel, Liberal, declares that he will oppose a reference to a judicial commission. The question now being discussed is how many ministers are involved. One thing in Premier Ross favor is that he was in England when the alleged deed was apparently hatched. Stratton maintains that no consideration for support was ever mentioned, directly or indirectly between him and Gamey in any shape or form. Is Broken

or indirectly between him Gamey in any shape or form.

POPE LEO RECEIVES PILGRIMS

Aged Pontiff Greets the Faithful in Hall of Consistory

GERMANY'S NAVAL BUDGET.

Berlin, March 12.—The Reichstag ap-propriation committee is continuing its lookey of retrenchment. Today it struck out \$1,500,000 which the admir-laty wanted for the purchase of a site for the new Navy Department build-ing making \$3,188,750 stricken out of the naval budget alone.

New Officers for British Colum-

bla Elected at Yesterday's Session.

Members Guests of Mayor and

Entertained at Grand

The Fraser river is frozen from Chilliwack to Mission, but the steel steamer Beaver ploughed her way down safely.

salely.

In an interview here today Chief Commissioner Wells said the government were preparing for a short session. The opposition would be to blame if it was prelonged.

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The Board of Trade last night, after much discussion, passed a resolution to admit the press to its regular meetings on condition that the reporters omit to mention, at request, any business which the board wishes kept secret.

NO MORE LEVIATIANS.

International Marine Company Will Build no More Big Steamers.

London, March 12.—The shipping Gazette says it understands that the International Mercantile Marine Company has decided not to build any more leviatians like the White Star Cedric and Celtic until improved port facilities enable the company to exercise greater economy in working the vessels and render their construction a less risky financial undertaking.

MAY JOIN STRIKE

Nearly Five Thousand Spokane Workmen Will Be Involved.

FORTY UNIONS

Banquet.

Grand Lodge

Master Teamsters Haul Freight to and From the C. P. R. Vancouver.

Plenty of Non-Union Men For All the Teams That Are Available.

Retail Clerks May Refuse to Sell Goods Handled by

From Our Own Correspondent.

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Vancouver, March 12.—The master teamsters hauled freight 40 and from the C. P. R. today, and thus broke the dieddlock caused by the journeymen teamsters striking in sympathy with the U. B. R. E. The master teamsters were jeered at by many of the strikers as they drove the drays to the station, but they were indifferent to the jeers, as they had the business community behind them in the form of a signed resolution upholding them in their action, owing to the fact, as alleged, that the teamsters struck contrary to agreement with the master teamsters. The master teamsters say they are hiring non-union men now, and will soon have enough non-union men to handle all the teams and move all the freight There is some threat of the retail clerks refusing to sell the freight hauled by non-union men, but it is not believed the clerks will take such action.

'H. E. Melvin received sentence of three months in jail, and W. H. Blescoe, nine months in jail, for breaking into the bouded warehouse on the C. P. R. and stealing liquor. Both men were from Montreal and had been engaged as freight handlers to replace the strikers. The trial of the two men acting as substitutes on the C. P. R. wharf, who were charged with stealing Chinese whiskey, developed the interesting fact that the Canadian Cuistoms Department were the real prosecutors, and the men were charged with breaking 'the the bonded warehouse 'Pwo charges being proved against them, one of the men, W. H. Blescoe, got nine months in jail and the other, H. B. Melvin, three months. Both were from Montrea.

The Vancouver Liberal Association to call a convention at an early date to consider questions of great importance to the party.

'The Rat Portage Lumber Company has purchased Tait's sawmill for \$100.

New Westminster, March 12.—The sessions of the Grand Lodge United (Workmen concluded this afternoon, and tonight the members are being banto the party.

The Rat Portage Lumber Company has purchased Tait's sawmill for \$100.000, with limits in different parts of the Coust, including about 6,600 acres. The sawmill of W. L. Tait is one of the largest sawmilling plants in Vancouvei and does a very large export trade. Today's sessions were prefaced by a

WAR MINISTER RESIGNS. Refused a Credit for Material and

Leaves His Post. Sofia, March 12.—A despatch dated March 8 announces that War Minister Paprikoff has sent in his resignation because his colleagues rejected his demand for a credit of \$1,600,000 for the purchase of war material. The whole cahinet threatened to resign unless Prince Ferdinand accepted Minister Paprikoff's resignation.

Vancouver

Happenings

Wriglesworth.

Committee on laws, N. W. Welsh, F.
L. Budlong and A. E. Woods.
Vancouver was decided upon as the place of next meeting.
The retiring Grand Master will be presented with a jewel.

The Grand Lodge attended in a body the funeral of the late J. A. Webster. The services were at Holy Trinity cathedral, and were attended by many citizens. Damages Awarded Lumber Men For Boom Lost in a Storm.

Strikers Threaten to Start Co-Operative Store to Injure Merchants.

From Our Own Correspondent.

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Vancouver, March 12.—A boom of logs sold to the Pacific Coast Lumber Company was caught in a storm when being towed by the tug Muriel, and a large portion of the boom lost. Three Indians, who sold the boom, Chief George Harry, Tow Wilson and Sam Timwoody claimed in the Supreme Court before Justice Irving that the boom had been taken in tow by the Packer's Steamship Association tug Muriel without authority. They asked for \$2,004 damages, and were awarded that amount by the court.

The City Council are considering a proposal from Mr. J. C. Keith to purchase 5,500 acres of land along the Capilano river, a stream from which Vancouver gets, its water supply. Mr. Keith asks \$3 per acre without the timber, or \$5 with the timber. It is likely a bylaw will be submitted to the people covering the purchase proposition.

The annual meeting of the Vancouver Bicycle Club was held at the Leland hotel last night, when the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, H. C. Clarke; first vice-president, Wm. Ralph; second vice-president, Wm. Ralph; second vice-president, Robert Haddon; second lieutenant, Jesse Edwards; timkeceper, G. S. Mason; landicapper, E. S. Wilband; buglers, A. McQuarrie and Robt. Knight; executive, W. Hodson, I. V. Williams, D. J. Koontz; D. McLean and J. A. Murray. The brigantine Blakeley, of the Western Canadian Fish Company of this city, was towed down from Barnet yesterday, and is now berthed at the C. P. R. wharf where she will load supplies for a fishing cruise on the West Coast of Vancouver Island, principally in the neighborhood of Barkley Sound.

Socialist labor men here say that if this strike is prolonged, and the business men uphold the master teamsters in hauling freight with non-union men, that a large co-operative store will be started in retaliation to supply the necessaries of life to the laboring classes.

Mah Qua, executor for the estate of Mah Youen, is suing the city for \$3,000 on the ground that while Mah Youen was in the city jail it wa

ble May Yet Be FOR SALE. Averted.

Whitney's Arraignment

Leader of Ontario Conservatives Scores Ross and his Boodlers.

Government Asks For Trial by Tribunal of Its Own Choice.

Three Members of Cabinet as Well as Stratton Are Accused.

From Our Own Correspondent.

tol While Cleaning It.

Winnipez, March 12.-D. D. McArthur, brother of J. D. McArthur, hunderman, accidentally shot himself dead widtle cleaning a revolver in the hall of his home today. An inquest will probably be held. Mr. McArthur had been a resident of Winnipeg for about four months and formerly resided in Glenburger.

MEUCH CRY, LATTLE WOOL,

More Trouble Abroad Than at Home According to Pekin.

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Pekin, March 12.—Inquiries received at the legations here from foreign governments indicate that greater importance is attached abroad to the disturbances in China than the most competent observers here think the outlook avarrants. The foreigners are entirely associated to the ability and disposition of Yuan Shi Kai, the governor of Chilipirovince, to suppress the occasional Boxer demonstrations in Chih-li. Of the other revolts, the Canton movement is now alone considered serious. The irramainder are regarded as having no incutional significance. While the hatred of foreigners and the discontent with the Manchurian rule has increased since 41900, co-operation between the discontented elements is lacking, and there inhears to be absolutely no formidable revolutionary movement. Tang Lu, the farst grand, secretary, is critically ill of diropsy. His death probably would promote Prince Ching, president of the foreign office, to the head of the government. of foreigners and the discontent with the Manchurian rule has increased since 11900, co-operation between the discontented elements is lacking, and there appears to be absolutely no formidable prevolutionary movement. Tang La, the first grand, secretary, is critically ill of dropsy. His death probably would promote Prince Ching, president of the Foreign office, to the head of the government.

To cure a cold in. One day.

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets, all drugglats refund the money it it falls to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box.

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TO HELP ACADIA COLLEGE. Rockefeller Offers \$100,000 With String to It.

has notified the governor of Acadia College that he will give \$100,000 to the contege provided the governor raises a like amount by 1908. UNION BANK CAPITAL.

Shareholders Decide on Increase to \$3,000,000. Toronto, March 12—At the annual meeting of the Union Bank yesterday, a resolution was passed increasing the capital stock of the bank from \$1,705,000 to \$3,000,000.

KILLED AT PHOENIX.

Brakeman on C. P. R. Is Crushed to Death by Locomotive.

Death by Locomotive.

Phoenix, March 12.—This afternoon a young man named Harry Bell lost his life near Fisherman, a small station on the C. P. R. below Eholt, by being crushed by the locomotive of a freight train. He was a brakeman on the train, and had just stepped off the engine, when it ran over him, killing him almost instantly. Bell was well known in this section, having been employed last summer in this camp at the Snow-shoe mine. He was a young man of some 24 years, unmarried and a brother-in-law of Conductor Hutchinson, on the Phoenix-Eholt passenger run. After leaving the Snowshoe, he obtained employment on the railway as brakeman.

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From our Own Corresponaest.

Topronto, Mirch 22—In the Home to the House the Market Boos asked the attention of the House to the matter brought up by the member for Manitoulin. Hor related the member for Manitoulin. Hor related the member for Manitoulin. Hor related the member of Manitoulin. Hor related the member for Manitoulin. Hor related the member of the Statement of my esterned colleague is tribute to Stratton. He could not person to be like government. For the member of the government proposed to proceed at once by means of normal commission.

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CURRY WONT ACCEPT. Appointed Senator But Declines the Proffered Honor.

Halifax, March 12.—Rufus Curry, of Windsor, N. S., who was yesterday appointed to the Senate, has authorized the statement that owing to private reasons he cannot accept.

THE BIG MITT MAYOR.

Head of the Minneapolis Gang Object to Stand Trial.

Manchester, N. H., March 11.—Not until all legal proceedings are exhausted will former Mayor Ames, of Minneapolis, consent to return to that city and stand trial for alleged bribery. His attorneys in this state made a strong effort in the Superior Court, today, to seeme his release on habeas corpus proceedings, and when beaten they appealed to the Supreme Court of New Hampshire. Should that court decide adversely the nower of the Supreme Court of the United States will be invited to set him free, so that he will probably be able to stay in New Hampshire for a year or two at least.

In the meantime he will be at liberty, providing he finds securities to the amount of \$12,500, which sum however.

MARTELL'S

OF ALL WINE AND

SPIRIT WERCHANTS.

THREE STAR

AND RESTAURANTS

Wen's and youth's fine business suits half price for cash until after stock-aking. B. Williams & Co.

Opening of Halifax, March 12 .- J. D. Rockefeller

Speech From the Throne as

Alreardy Outlined Read by

Lord Minto.

ENORMOUS ICE FLOES.

Sydney Steamer Passes Through Sixty Miles Ten Feet Thick.

Parliament St. John's, Nild., March 12.—The British steamer Bruce arrived here today from Sydney; C. B., and reports having mer with an unusual Sable Island, wet ran through 60 miles of heavy reduces ten feer thick. The steamer had her bows injured and will dock for repairs. The sealing steamers have been sighted passing the outlying island in the Northern coast, and it is expected are now among the seal herds.

LONDON OLD BOYS Banquet in New York and Prepare for Home Gathering Later.

Gamey's Revelations the Talk

of the Town at

Ottawa.

Ottawa, March 12—The opening of the third session of the ninth parliament of Canada for brilliancy will rank with any that has preceded it. The scene in the Senate Chamber was a most brilliant one, Lord Minto arrived at 3 o'clock, attended by a large suite. The Governor-General read the speech from the throne.

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Commons were sent for and then the Governor-General read the speech from the throne,

In the senate two new members were introduced, Messrs, Legris and Frost. When the Commons got down to business, several new members took their seatts, including Messrs. Prefontaine, McPherson, Thompson, Etier, Mayrand, Christie and Law. Mr. R. L. Borden asked for explanations regarding changes in the government. Promier Laurier said they would be given as soon as the Speech from the Throne had been disposed of.

Revelations by Gamey in the Ontario legislature are the all-absorbing theme in political circles today,
Mr. Casgrain will ask whether the government intends to increase the salaties of judges. Bourassa will call for all documents connected with the abrogation of the Chayton-Bulwer Treaty.

The Stanley has got clear of the icin the Straits of Northumberland,
Following is the full text of the Speech from the Throne:

Hon, Gentlemen of the Senate; Gentlemen of the House of Commons:

I am glad to be able to congratulate you on the continued pospecity, that pavails

MANUFACTURERS MEET. Secret Session Held at Toronto to Con-sider Tariff Revision.

of the House of Commons:

J am glad to be able to congratulate you on the continued posperity that prival straroughout the Dominion. It has received many blessings and fing the past year, which call for the expressions of your pearificity and the peasure of visiting London last summer in anticontain of the expression of His Majesty and to meet on that occurrence in the continuous firm and contenument that prevails throughout His Majesty's widely extended possessions, and though it one time teats were entertained that the King's Hinist were contentative for a further posponement of the ceremony, it was a source of much joy and happiness to His Majesty's subjects that h's health was so specify and perfectly restored.

Representatives of this government par-Toronto, March 12—About one hundred and fifty members of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association are here to day holding a secret session. It is understood the revision of the tariff is understood discoveries.

New York, March 11—High school girls and friends of Miss Margaret Commerford, who received such terrible injuries in the Clifton avenue trolley disaster in New York, will gladly submit to having nearly 300 square inches of skin taken from their bodies to save the girl from unending arony and disfigurement.

Miss Commerford's injuries are of such a nature that before she is able to leave the hospital more than 176 square inches of skin will have to be grafted on the lower part of her body. As much, of the new skin will not grow on the first application, nearly twice the amount will have to be grafted.

The office of the Boscowitz Steamship Co., has been semoved to 115 Government street.

JOHN BARNSLEY & CO.,

of this Malesty and to meet on that occasion representatives from all parts of the algority mid conteniment that prevails the design the states and though a widely focus with the massurances of the dayagity and conteniment that the King's idnass would have involved a further possponement of the ecremony, it was a source of number of the ceremony, it was a source of number of the contenion, and though so widely contended the contended of the ecremony, it was a source of number of the proceedings of the contended Winnipeg, Man., March 12.—The train from the East was in three sections to day to accommodate the large number of Ontario homeseekers who have started for Western Canada. The first section had on board 93 passengers from Western Ontario and 364 settlers from Eastern Canada. The second section had a large number of passengers from Ontario for Winnipeg, Minnedosa and other points. All told there are on the two trains 300 for Winnipeg, 400 for Moosejaw, 53 for Minnedosa and Northwestern points, and 421 for Southwestern points, The third section of the train from the East was a colonist train composed of 13 cars of settlers' effects and brings heside a small party of Ontario settlers.

FELL FROM A STEAMER.

VANCOUVER

With Freight Moving the Strik-

ers Begin to Lose

Ground:

BANANAS ARE SCARCE.

Drought and Largely Increased Demand Exhaust the Supply.

Kingston, Jam., March 12.—Owing to the extreme scarcity of bananas, the United Fruit Company has decided to alternate their Januaican service with Port Limon, Costa Rica, their steamers thus leaving Januaica and Port Limon every fortnight. This arrangement will be only a temporary one. The scarcity of bananas is due to the largely increased demand and the drought. The dropght, however, is now breaking.

Humors of all kinds are prolific of worse toubles. They may be entirely expelled by thorough course of Hood's Sarsaparilla.

From Our Own Correspondent

Accident at Esquimalt Yesterday.

Thomas J. Sehl was the victim of a paintul accident yesterday afternoon, and narrowly escaped losing his life. He was at work on the hull of the steamer Princess May, which was hauled out on the Esquimalt Marine Ways, and was standing on a scaffold suspended from the rail, engaged in screwing up a bolt, when he overbalanced himself and fell a distance of about 25 feet. Fortunately he struck a plank in falling, which broke his fall, otherwise he would have sustained very serious injuries, if he had not been killed as a result of the fall. The ambulance was result of the fall. The ambulance was called and he was taken to St. Joseph's hopital, where he was reported to be progressing favorably last night. He was conscious throughout, and suffered considerable pain. No bones are said to be broken, but his back was severely injured. From Our Own Correspondent.

Vancouver, B. C., March 12.—Because the master teamsters drove their own teams to remove the block of freight on the C. P. R. wharves, caused by the strike, all teamsters in the city were called out today. The master teamsters held a meeting tenight and decided to write "Cancelled" across the agreement signed by them with the journeymen and refuse to employ union teamsters any more, filling the stables and drays with non-union men.

Yesterday afternoon the teamsters promised the master teamsters that they would feconsider their decision, and were prepared to haul freight to and from the C. P. R. At night, however, Geo. Estes, the California president of the Brotherhood, who is acting as manager for the strikers, induced them to change their point and stand by the strikers in a body. With the treight moving it is not thought possible that the strike can last, and the Brotherhood lave not the sympathy of any other union in the railway employ, while the trains worked by unionists are daily hauling substitutes from the East to take the place of striking members of the Brotherhood.

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Mr. J. P. Vye wishes to thank the doctor and nurses, especially Miss Begg. Miss McQuarrie, Miss Hamilton, Miss Denny and Miss Toliand, for the kind attention shown to this mother during her recent illness.

Notice to Contractors.

Tenders will be received on or before Saturday, 21st instant, at 12 noon, for erection of frame cottage residence for Victoria West.

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The Telegram.

The Ping Pong Matinee, Saturday at 2:30 p .m.

Golden Cliff. Monday, March 16th, (by desire) David Harum.

Tuesday, March 17th, "ST. PATRICK'A DAY."

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NOTICE is hereby given that application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of the Province of British Columbia at its next session for an Act authorising the British American Dredging Company, Linced, to divert and appropriate the worse of Pine Creek, in the District of Atlin, in the Province of British Columbia, Core Pine Creek Falls, shout 200 feet, for the purpose of generating electric power for the purpose of generating electric power for the purpose of generating electric power for the purpose of supplying the same 15 the mines and dredging operations along Pine Creek, and the neighborhood thereof, and to charge toils therefor.

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A. ST. G. FLINT. Secretary.

Provincial Mining Association. \$100.00 REWARD

The above reward will be paid to any person for information that will lead to the arrest and countein or the person or persons who state from the offices of the Association in the Beard of Trade Building, between the evening of February 28 last, and morning of March 2nd inst., a parcel of papers consisting of reports of meetings held in Carlboo District.

A. L. BELYFA.

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Private Bill Notice

The time limit by the rules of the House for receiving petitions for private bills will expire on the 11th day of April, 1963. Bills must be presented to the House not later than the 23rd day of April, 1963. Reports from Committees on Private Bills will not be received after the 23th day. Reports from Committees on Private Bills will not be received after the 30th day of April, 1903.

Dated this 27th day of February, 1903. THORNTON FELL, Cless of the Legislative Assembly.

Special Esquimait Tickets

C. Electric Railway Company, Limited have today issued a special ticket, "Esquimalt Limited." This ticket is good between the hours of 6 and 9 in the morning, and 5 and 7 in the evening on week days only. One ticket is good during these hours for one fare from any point in the city to Esquimalt and vice versa. Tickets on sale at the company's office Yates street, 160 for eight dollars.

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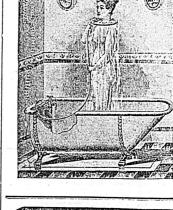
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Riojun Maru From the Orient

Japanese Liner Reaches Port After Rough Passage From Yokohama.

Princess May in From Skagway-Haddon Hills Is Chartered.

Steamer Riojun Maru, of the Nippon Yusen Kaisha line renched port last night—two days late—from the Orient. Sho encountered heavy weather throughout the passage, with strong head winds prevailing continuously. Capt. Ohno reports that two days ago a mountainous sea prevailed, but the wind was not as heavy as previous blows, the heavy storm reported on that date off the coast having evidently not covered a large area seaward. The seas were very high though, sweeping over the vessel and flooding her decks. The Japanese and Iner brought a carge of 3,310 tons of matting, rice, silk, soy, saki and general Chinese and Japanese merchandise. She landed 152 tons of general freight at the Outer docks and will sail this morning for the Sound.

She brought no saloon passengers and six intermediates for Seattle and San Francisco, all excepting one being Japanese. For Victoria she had one European, Mr. Chandler, three Japanese and 15 Chinese and seven Japanes and 15 Chinese and seven Japanes and 15 Chinese and seven Japanes and 16 Chinese and seven Japanes and 17 Chinese and seven Japanes and 18 Chinese and seven Japanes and 19 Chinese also debarked here en route to Vancouver. There were 21 Japanese for Seattle seven for Portland, and one Korean and 33 Japanese for San Francisco.

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When off the Cape yesterday the steamer sighted a two-masted freight carrying steamer, which Capt. Ohno took to be the steamer Pleiades of the Boston "Tugloat Company, which left Yokohama at the same time as the N. Y. K. liner for this port.

NEW SOUND STEAMERS.

Not Probable That They Will Enter the Seattle-Victoria Trade.

Seattle-Victoria Trade.

The announcement of the coming of the new fast-running steamers to the Sound from Portland to engage in the Puget Sound trade, has caused much discussion, and some theories have been advanced that one of the steamers, the Arrow, is probably intended for the Seattle-Victoria run, but shipping men do not consider this likely, in view of the style of the craft. The Seattle P.I. says: "There are many runs on the Sound, and until it is definitely known what route these vessels will take their proposed invasion will continue to arouse the liveliest interest.

There is not much likelihood of the new vessels attempting to occupy the Seattle-Victoria or the Seattle, Port Angeles and Neah bay run, as the steamers are not sufficiently seaworthy for those routes.

HADDON HALL CHARTERED. Will Go to the Sound to Load Lumber

Will Go to the Sound to Load Lumber For South Africa.

British bark Haddon Hall, Capt. Smith, which reached port some days ago from San Jose de Guatamula, was chartered yesterday to load lumben on the Sound for South Africa. On the receipt of the news Capt. Smith began to discharge his ballast, and will probably tow to the Sound today. The tug Lorne, Capt. Cutler, returned to port yesterday afternoon after towing the British ship Taxmania to sea. There was a heavy Northeasterly breeze prevailing when the Lorne dropped the lumber ship yesterday morning. The tugs Tyee and Sea Lion were at-the Cape seeking. No shipping was in sight. The lgritish ship Pythomene, which has been chartered to load grain on the Sound for South Africa, is expected to leave this morning, a tug coming from the Sound for the vessel.

The British ship Wendur, which is loading at Chemainus, holds the record for the fistest passage home from Tacoma with a cargo of wheat in 100 days, about four years ago or thereabouts. The nearest her record has been approached since, so far as recalled, is the voyage just completed by the Fortevoit, Captain Kindd in 105 days. The steamship Kintuck, which sailed early in October with a part cargo of wheat via the Suez, was 72 days to Liverpool, which indicates that the wind-jummer's 105-day voyage is certainly a fast one.

RITHET'S REPORT.

(Monthly Freight and Shipping Report

of Local Shipping Firm.

The monthly freight and shipping report of R. P. Rithet & Co. for February, just issued, says: The high price of grain ruling in San Francisco has caused the vessels chartered since our last to load at Portland and Tacoma, 17s. 6d. to U. K. being the rate paid

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ifrom the former port. The rate for mow crop has been fixed at 21s. 3d., at which price several charters have been put through. Other charters show 23s. 3d to 25s. 6d. to be the rate ruling Portland to Cape, while 24s. has been paid Tacoma to Fremantle.

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FROM SKAGWAY.

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FROM SKAGWAY.

Princess May Arrives From the Lynn Canal Ports and Goes on Dock.

Steamer Princess May, Capt. Gosse, arrived yesterday morning from Skagway, and after debarking her passengers proceeded to Esquimalt, and was to be commander-in-chief.

That official is working hard to increase China's army. He will organize of carrying on a grand army review there. All the troops that have just been raised in Chihli. Honan, Shansi and Shensi provinces, about 20,000 in all, will take part. Yuan Shih-kai, Viceroy of Chihlif was to be commander-in-chief.

That official is working hard to increase China's army. He will organize should out to be eleaned and painted on the Esquimalt Marine ways. She will leave the ways today, and is expected to sail for Skagway again tonight. Two new propellors will be placed on the liner at Esquimalt. The Princess May Steamer Riojun Maru, of the N. Y. K.

THE SETTLER.

Bless then, our God, the new-yoked plonga, and the good beasts that draw, And the bread we cat in the sweat of our brow, according to thy law; After us cometh a mulitude—prosper the work of our hands. That we may feed with our land's food the folk of ail our lands!

in the wastes and the trough of the plains where the healing stillness [les, the vast benignant sky restrains, and the long days make wise—to our use the rain and the sun, and the blind seed in its bed, we may repair the wrong that was done to the living and the dead!

had an uneventful pasage. She brought down 15 passengers, three for Vancou-ver, four for Victoria, and the remaind-er for Scattle. Those for Victoria were Dr. Scharlschmidt of the White Pass & Yukon railway; Mrs. E. J. Braemer, Miss H. Snyder and E. S. Busby, the Canadian supervising customs officer at Skarway.

THE ALSTERNIXIE.

Damage as Was Expected.

The specifications are being drawn up for the repairs necessary to the hull of the German bark Alsternixie, which went ashore on February 9 off the Columbia river, and was fast for many days. The bark was surveyed as she lies in the dry dock at Esquimalt yesterday morning by Capt. J. G. Cox and Capt. Fowler, Lloyd's surveyors in Victoria and Vancouver, and specifications are being drawn up on the recommendations made by them. The contract for repairing the upper work stanchions, etc., has already been awarded to the Albion Iron Works. The Alsternixie sustained less damage than was thought as a result of her stranding. Three plates will have to be removed for straightening, and there are some bent frames, as well as much riveting to be done.

MARINE NOTES.

A claim is being made by the owners

MARIND INTELLIGENCE.

Kwangsi Rebels Again Defeat Imper-

Rudyard Kipling's Latest Poem

"I leave this shore more convinced than ever that the forces—the natural forces—that are drawing you together are more potent than those evil influences which would tend to separate you. . . Above all, South Africa needs the best capacities of all its children." Mr. Chamberlain, February 24.

There in a large and small land, where no wrong blies to the bone, I will lay my hand in my neighbor's hand, and together we will atone For the set folly and the red breach and the doke waste of it all; Giving and taking counsel each over the cattle kraul.

Here will be league against our foes—the hall-stroke and the storm—And the red and rustling cloud that blows the locusts' mile-deep swarm Frost and murrain and floods let loose shall launch us side by side In the holy wars that have no truce 'twixt seed and travest tide

Damage as Was Expected.

of the steamer Mogul, which ran to this port for the Dodwell line in 1901 and prior to that time, on account of a col-lision between their steamer and the United States transport Warren in Ma-nila Bay.

MARIND INTELLIGENCE.

Seattle—March 11, sailed, str Santa Barbara, for San Francisco.

Port Gamble—March 11, sailed, Ger sh Henriette, for Cork.

Port Blake.ey—March 11, sailed, schr Fannie Dutard, for Ventura.

Ludlow—March 10, arrived Ger str Totmes, at 7 o'clock this morning, and loaded of the control of the control

from Victoria for Hiogo, Shanghai and Horgkong. Auckland—Sailed Mar 6, str Ventura for San Francisco. Hakodude—Sailed Mar 7, Dan str Arab for San Francisco. Melbourne—In port Feb 14, Fr ship Leon Bureau for Newcastle, Aus., and San Fran-

Bureau for Newcastle, Aus., and San Francisco.
Newcastle (Aus.)—Salled, Mar 8, sehr Alman for Honoldu.
Tenarth—Sailed Mar 6, Br str Royalist for San Francisco for Antwerp.
Table Bay—Sailed Jan 27, Br ship Red Rock for Newsastle, Aus., and Oregon.
Yokohama—Arrived prior to Mar 7, str Victoria from Victoria, Mar 7, Br str Indrasamha from Oregon; str Indrayelli from Portland for Hongkong.

"Officer," said the police court judge.
"what made you think the prisoner was drunk?"
"Well, your tonor, as he was going along the sidewalk, he ran p'und into a street lamp-post. He backed away, replaced his hat on his head, and firmly started forward again, but once more ran into the post. Four times he tried to get by the roost, but each time his uncertain steps took him piump nito the fron pole. After the fourth attempt and failure to has the post, he backed off, fell to the, navement, and, clutching his head in his hands, murmured, as one lost to all sope: Tost!
Lost in an impenetrable forest."
"Ten days," said the court."—Green Bag.

The Japanese-Russian diplomatic fight continues in Korea. On February 21 the Korean government refused to grant the Russian request for the privilege cyconstructing the Scoul Wuju rallway. Japan objected to this being granted. The Korean government gives as its reason for refusal the fact that Korea had already started to build the road, and that the government had decided to grant no such privileges to foreigners.

A horse race took place on February-20 between Pekin and Tientsin. Fifty horsemen started, 26 being German military officers, eight French, six Japanese, and 12 of the Race Club. A German soldier finished first in seven hours and 33 minutes, with a Japanese second.

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Variety of Legal Points Considered, Judgments Given and Reserved.

Some interesting cases came up before Mr. Justice Martin at the sitting of the County Court yesterday.

In McMillan vs. Greaves, judgment was given for defendant with costs. This was a third party action flowing out of a previous suit in which Stephen Jones of the Dominion hotel had recovered judgment against McMillan on a hotel bill. McMillan served third party notice on Greaves, alleging that Greaves had agreed to pay his expenses at the Dominion. His Lordship considered the evidence inadequate to prove the claim and dismissed it accordingly. A. F. W. Solomon for plaintiff, and J. M. Bradburn for defendant.

Ahiers vs. Moody is a new trial which has been allowed an appeal to the Full Court. On a former trial, Ahiers was given judgment on a claim against Moody for arrears of rent, but the defendant, Moody, put in a counter claim for illegal and excessive distress, which was allowed. This counter claim was opened up afresh yesterday, but was adjourned till this morning by reason of Moody taking ill during the progress of his examination. A. F. W. Solomon for Moody, and G. E. Powell for Ahiers. Norris vs. Hall, Macrae & Co., of Vancouver, was an action for money paid by the plaintiff for a cream separator, which was alleged to be secondhand. His Lordship held that the machine was new, the fact that it had been on exhibition not taking it out of the category of a new machine, as it had not been used. The defendants, though, were not allowed costs. C. J. Prior for plaintiff and T. M. Miller for defendant. Warner vs. Weiler was an interpleader. In a former action, Weiler Bros recovered judgment against one Vernon, seizing the goods of the defendant under a warrant of execution. Warner claimed the goods under a bill of sale, After a lengthy argument by J. P. Walls for defendant, and Geo. E. Powell for plaintiff, F. B. Gregory appearing for the Sheriff, judgment was reserved, leave being given to hand in further citations to His Lordship on Saturday u

SUNDRY LEGAL JOTTINGS.

Fifteen candidates will write at the preliminary, intermediate and final examinations of the Law Society to be held on the 23rd inst.

Mr. P. S. Lampman, secretary of the Law Society, is busy receiving and filing the many ballots coming in from barristers all over the province who are now sending in their votes for the election of the benchers for the coming year. The ballots will be counted on the 30th inst, and results announced immediately afterwards.

Sunday Want "Ads."

In order that those who were unable to avail themselves of last week's offer a copy of

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THE COLONIST

B. C. Prize Winners in Macdonald Grain Competition.

Three years ago Sir Wm. C. Maedon ald donated the sum of \$10,000 to be distributed in cash prizes to farmer boys and girls who performed specified work in connection with the selection of seed grain. It is now made a yearly competition. The, following are the successful British Columbia competitors for 1902:

Wheat—P. French, Vernon, \$25; Donald and D. Graham, Armstrong, \$20; W. A. Middleton, Vernon, \$15; H. B. Biggar, Langley Prairie, \$12; J. Howard and Ella Mohr, Enderby, \$5; C. Gilbert Mohr, Enderby, \$5; G. Gilbert Mohr, Enderby, \$5; Flora Peters, Beaver Point, \$5; Ellen J. McLennan, Beaver Point, \$25; Morrice Middleton, Vernon, \$10; W. M. Menzies, Pender Island, \$8; Wm. Petersen, Gabriola, \$5; Ellen J. McLennan, Beaver Point, \$5; G. Gilbert Mohr, Enderby, \$5; Flora Petern, Beaver Point, \$5.

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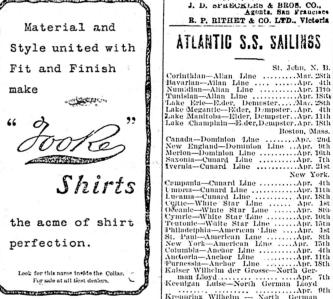
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ceives the special attention of Mrs. Adam herself.

G. H. Redman, of the Victoria Talloring company, 25 Brond street, is elsewhere in this paper advertising the arrival at their store of a consignment of fancy worster suitings in most coolee designs and colorings and invites inspection.

It has arrived, and is now on view at Alex Peden's, 36 Fort street, his large and select consignment of the very best stock for spring surfugs, ever brought into Victoria. Alex, invites every percent and inspect these elegant goods at Victoria's up-to-date talloring establishment, 36 Fort street.

The Royal Engineers gave a very enjoyable concert in the Racquets courts at the Work Point barracks, on Wednesday Evening. The programme was first-class in every detail and was thoroughly appreciated by those who attended. The chief feature of the evening was the farce entitled "Barney's Mistake." This comical consedy provided much anusconent. E. A. Harris & Co., 35 Fort street, have now for saie a nice 2-storey residence containing eight rooms and having sewe connection and all modern conversences with stone foundation, good garden ain fruit trees. Terms of sale very easy. See his ad for particulars,



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Tenders will be received by the Canadian Bank of Commerce, Victoria, up to the 20th of April, 1903, for the purchase of \$204,000 Government of British Columbia Dyking Debentures, in denominations of \$1,000, is sued under authority of the "Public Dyking Act." bearing interest at the rate of "Merce of the per can per annum, payable init-yearly, per cent per annum, payable init-yearly, the second of the seco

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It is sincerely to be hoped that the strike able exposure of earls and barons which you have been returned through as were. Then be so failed. We all remember the remarking the exposure of earls and barons which there will shortly be settled, will be solved the subject of the protest o the obvious but slightly immoral method of "sawing off" A number of by elections were then held and the result in the same that the Head that the Head of the result is men than the same than held and the result is men than the same than held and the result is men than the same than held and the result is men than the same than held and the result is men than the same than held and the result is men than the same than t elections were then held, and the results amazing corruption and illegitimate pressure. But this was merely the outer of disappointed partizans. The real reason was that Ortario, amazed at having nearly unseated her traditional imasters, recoiled aghast from the terime against them she had almost perpetrated, and hastened with quick repertance to make their position more secure. There was one curious exception of the case has been the collection of buy private subscription to bring Mr. Whittaker Tonkin. This is a matter of direct evidence as to ascertainable facts. It which will be prosecuted by conciliation committee's work to determine understand the state of the case has been the collection of buy was eschedule published by Manager Tonkin. This is a matter of direct evidence as to ascertainable facts. It which will be prosecuted by conciliation committee's work to determine understand the converted by the men to rebut the wage schedule published by Manager Tonkin. This is a matter of direct evidence as to ascertainable facts. It which was should be the very easiest part of the conciliation committee's work to determine understand the converted by the men to rebut the wage schedule published by Manager Tonkin. This is a matter of direct evidence as to ascertainable facts. It which was should be the very easiest part of the conciliation committee's work to determine the converted by the men to rebut the wage schedule published by Manager Tonkin. This is a matter of direct evidence as to ascertainable facts. It which was should be the very easiest part of the conciliation committee's work to determine the converted by the men to rebut the wage schedule published by Manager Tonkin. This is a matter of direct evidence as to ascertainable facts. It was a matter of direct evidence as to ascertainable facts. It was a matter of direct evidence as to ascertainable facts. It was a matter of direct evidence as to ascertainable facts. It was a matter of direct evidence as to ascertainable facts. It was a matter of direct evidence as to ascertainable facts. It wa Wright to book. Finally, the flome at having nearly unseated her traditional masters, recoiled aghast from the corne against them she had almost perpetrated, and hastened with quick repetrated, and hastened with quick repetrated to make their position more secure. There was one curious exception to the success of the Liberals before the country. In one particular constituency the Conservative candidate had only five of a majority. Of course his election was protested, but a "sawoff" was a furnaged. After the fruits of the "sawoff" was for have gone to Egypt, but it is not to have gone to Egypt, but it is not to have gone to Egypt, but it is not to have gone to Egypt, but it is not transported to have gone to Egypt, but it is not transported to have gone to Egypt, but it is not transported to have gone to Egypt, but it is not transported to have gone to Egypt, but it is not transported to have gone to Egypt, but it is not to have gone to Egypt, but it is not transported to have gone to Egypt, but it is not to have gone to Egypt, but it is not to have gone to Egypt, but it is not to have gone to Egypt, but it is not to have gone to Egypt, but it is not to have gone to Egypt, but it is not to have gone to Egypt, but it is not transported to have gone to Egypt, but it is not transported. After the fruits of the "saw-off" had been secured to the Liberals, they repented, and went on with the petition. A localized moral wave, to use the accustomed language of the ceeded as member of the British parla
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(Toronto Globe, struck them, or else they ment by a labor candidate who achieved tweet tempted by the narrowness of the extraordinary majority of 3,229 majority. The constituency itself, how-votes over his opponent. When it is ever, rejected this charm against a remembered that Lord Charles Barosford accustomed language of the e. It aimed at conversions among indubitably elected members, and servative member for Manitoulin, Sevgentleman named Sullivan, who indicated that the could procure \$5,000 for Mr. Gamey immediately consulted the president of the Conservance of the would support the Ross government. Mr. Gamey immediately common and udistrated exposition is disturated consulted the president of the Conservance of the War Office has been subject to that a five completely to said deleares that every member of the War Office has been subject to that a five completely to said the Lorentz of the War Office has been subject to that Department, the inference is privately committing himself by an interview to the Ross declaration upon the interview of the Mar Office has been subject to that Department, the inference is privately committing himself with the Department of the Department, the inference is follow. The relevance of the Partment of the Partment of the Department of the Department, the inference is privately committing himself by an interview to the flowe of Common such as a summitted to the Department of the House of t ang discussed this extraordinary episode at such length, but we in British Columbia have frequently had to put up with criticism from Ontario on account of our want of stable government. We see how that this criticism has been justifiable and well merited. Ontario has a stable government—an Aurean stable

gestion that passenger trains should be an over-payment of \$46,000.65, and it hobliged by law to carry n stock of hirt would be well for Uncle Sam if he hand surgical appliances. We might go could get off as cheaply for all the further, and missi on conductors and brakemen passing an examination in for rivers and laribots, for buttleships, and for the subjugation of the Flipinos.

government. It smells Gamey.

BROUGHT TO JUSTICE.

ssing interest in the announcement the British Home Secretary that Whittaker Wright is to be brought to justice, for no one ever wrought, But not in the Senate. British Columbia was a great mining country, and that it had reached the stage when capital could be made productive to the mutual advantage of the investor in Great British and the reached. investor in Great Britain and the people the was concealed under the name of the

tion to something else. Of course it has and lofty attitude about meeting its men been freely hinted that the Hooley exposures were then held, and the results been freely hinted that the Hooley exposures with the Wright exposures, if ever the secret of the fact that it was very anxious to conservatives declared that these elections were carried by the most lines elections were carried by the most of the case has been the collection of and illegitimate of the case has been the collection of the was marging to the way for the case has been the collection of the way marging the carried by the men to rebut the pressure. But this was marging the carried by the case has been the collection of the second and collection of the case has been the collection of the second and collection of the case has been the collection of the second and collection of the case has been the the

ected this sharp practice and remembered that Lord Charles Beresford multiplied the majority of the Conser-wats returned unopposed in 1902, this vative candidate manifold. But its opervative candidate manifold. But its operations in the country were not the only means which the Léberal party relied on the comment of the London the would lead people to suppose. The Times says "It means that the spectre the first fruits of its faith were realized which has hypnotized the Continental not the glory of Empire, but the burgovernments has shown itself at last den of Empire which is now the doming among ourselves," that is in Great Britani. Surely that is the language of excourse many are convinced that Kipen weeks ago the Globe announced with that solemn moral joy or which it is so aggration. Organized labor in Great ling is no poet. But listen to this: famous, that Mr. Gamey might be Britain is not a revolutionary force, on the Continent it is. Organized labor in Great ling is no poet. But listen to this: for the ungrazed upland the untilled crystally in the had come to the concinsion that the had come to the concinsion that the interests of Ontario and of his constituency required that he should support the Ross groupmage. The labor vote in Great, Britain and the problems that the should support the Ross groupmage. the interests of Ontario and of his constituency required that he should support the Ross government. Mr. Gamey it is. The labor vote in Great Britain has always hitherto shown itself ready in fact appeared as a glorious reflex in fact appeared in fact appeared as a glorious reflex in fact appeared in the sweat of our tanget in the section in the glorious reflex in the sweat of an the bread we cat in the sweat of our tanget in the could be an unitated—prosper the fact of the folion of an tanget in the glorious reflex in the fact of the folion o gentleman named Sullivan, who indicaternment is unpopular and that the div-

stable government-an Augean stable The sum of \$47,000 was voted by the United States to South Carolina to Somebody has made the timely sug-discharge a debt of 35 cents. This was gestion that passenger trains should be an over-payment of \$46,909.65, and it s and claims presented to him, especially those significantly those on in for rivers and lumbers, for battleships, recultural exhibition, we notice the receipts the stock at turned, and the lambs go number of the subjugation of the Filipinos. Cooperative Home Building As-

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tainly":

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ish ministry hold sixty-eight director-ships in public companies. Seventy ministers of the crown in Ontario have coalition government in which the was concenied ander the ham witth a ministers of the crown in Ontario have est men of both parties would unite Marquis of Dufferin, whom Whittaker made entangling business alliances, but save the country from a political and that of the Le Roi mine at Ross-

poem this morning. It affords further evidence, if evidence were needed, that the South African war has had a great evidence, if evidence were needed, that the South African war has had a great effect upon Kipling as a man and a poet. So long as Kipling only studied British rule in India, he remained enthusiastic and uncritical. Now he is sometimes critical, sometimes full of pathetic and pleading; but the old note of complacency has disappeared. It is not the glory of Empire, but the burden of Empire which is now the dominant note of his lyrical poetry. Of course many are convinced that Kipling is no poet. But listen to this:

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the company made the statement, though
it is to be hoped, from present coult on
of affairs, that we will be able to pay a
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AUDITOR'S REPORT.

PRESS COMMENTS.

And while the Sick Man of Europe cases being diagnosed, Francis Joseph of Austra looks on and thinks that one really coed succes would shatter his own emistre,—Toronto Star.

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C. P. R. Freight Rates .- A conference

C. P. R. Freight Rates.—A conference has been held between a committee of the Vancouver Board of Trade and F. W. Peters, assistant freight traffic manager of the C. P. R. Western lines, regarding the request in which the Victoria wholesale merchants are interested that freight rates East from the Coast cittes and West from Winnipeg be equalized at Calgary, on the main line, and Lethbridge on the Crow's Nest branch. The points in the case were very fully gone into, and has promised a reply at an early date. The Victoria Board of Trade has at different times given considerable attention to the same matter.

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A Difference.—The Victoria Lumber Company are making preparations to increase their output of logs from 400,000 to 500,000 feet per day, and not the output of the mill, as was incorrectly

Jewish Services.—Divine service at congregation Emanu-El, corner Blanchard and Pandora, at 7:30 this evening. Itabbi Montague N. A. Cohen will deliver a lecture on special series: "My Attitude Towards Religion"; part 4, "False Theology." All are welcome.

W. C. T. U.—The W. C. T. U. met at Mrs. Durham's. Mrs. Willis Croft led the meeting with a programme on purity and mothers meetings. The sub-ject was thoroughly discussed by the mothers present. Many helpful sugges-tions were brought out in the discus-sion.

Appeals Case.—Allusion was made in the Colonist a few days ago to the widespread effect of a decision of a Vancouver judge of the Court of Revision in the case of the assessment on the transactions of manufacturers' agents. It is now stated that this decision will at once be appealed from, L. G. McPhillips acting for the appellants.

Co-operative Scheme.—Vancouver exchanges assert that the trades unionists of that city are considering the advisability of starting a large co-operative store to supply the necessaries of life to the labor people of the Terminal City. The same scheme has been tried in Nanaimo, Rossland and other places and has never been attended with any particular degree of success, Lenten Service.—The bishop of the liocese will give an address at the special Lenten service at St. James' church his evening. Service commences at

Meeting.—A meeting of the creditors of The Lenora-Mount Sicker Mining Company is called for 2 o'clock on Sat-urday atternoon, at Pioneer Hall, Broad As a Boarding House.—The well known steamer Yosemite arrived in the harbor about 1 o'clock yesterday after-moon from Victoria and is used up at the C. P. R. wharf, says the Vancouver News-Advertiser. She may possibly be used as a "home" for the non-union employees of the company, steamers having frequently been used for similar purposes in the Old Country.

Gun Club.—A meeting of the Capital Gun Club will be held this evening, the 13th, at S o'clock at No. 45 Johnson street. Business, election of officers for the ensuing year. A full attendance is requested. Blacksmiths to Meet.—As will be seen from the Colonist's advertising columns, the Independent Brotherhood of Blacksmiths', local branch No. 82, has called a special meeting in Labor Hall tomorrow evening (Saturday) at 8 o'clock. Wants a Teacher-James Robertson,

...acs a reacner—James Robertson, of Duncans station, is desirous of securing a teacher for the Quamichan public school from this date up to June 30 next. The teacher who has been filling the position has been compelled to resign owing to ill-health. Organ Recital .- The third of the ser-Organ Recital.—The third of the series of Lenten recitals will be given in St. John's church, when the organist will have the assistance of the following vocalists: Mrs. Gregson, Mr. Gibson and Mr. Gideon Hicks. Mr. Jesse Longifeld will give a violin solo and the concluding organ solo.

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Longfield will give a violin solo and the
concluding organ solo.

Goes to Nanaimo.—Archdeacon Scriven, formerly of Victoria, but now at
lladysmith, is likely to be removed
shortly to Nanaimo, where he will probably fill the Rev C. E. Cooper's place
during that clergyman's absence in Enzfand. Arangements are not yet completed as to who will succeed him in the
ministry at Ladysmith.

Will Build Hotel.—Wm. Jensen, of
Samich, and Capt. Wm. Meyer, of
to trivitoria, have completed arrangements
for the erection of an hotel and general
store building at Hardy Bay, which is
ness point in view of developments at
during that clergyman's absence in Enzthe North end of the Island. Work on
the structure will commence as soon as
the new government wharf, now in
ministry at Ladysmith.

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More Residences.—The present unusual weather is somewhat retarding building operations, but the season promises to be a busy one on the whole. In this morning's issue Architect A. Maxwell Muir is calling for tenders for the rection of two cottage residences—one of the two cottage residences—one of two cottage residences—one of two cottage residences—one of two cottage residences—one of the two cottage residences—o

The A. O. U. W.—In his report to the Ar O. U. W. Grand Lodge which has been in session in New Westminster for the past few days, F. W. Welsh, the grand master, says: "On October 27 I paid my official visit to Victoria, at which the four lodges held a joint meeting. Much 'credit is due to the brethren of that city for the great work they have accomplished. That city can now boast of having upwards of 500 members."

Meet in Vancouver.—The British Columbia branch of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association is to convene in Vancouver on March 19. The association has a membership of 30, and at the meeting among other important matters to come up for discussion are the duties on the products of British Columbia. Mr. William Skene, of Vancouver, is secretary of the provincial branch of the association, which he says will become an important factor in the indusinjuries received to undergo treatment in the emergency hospital at Toronto for three weeks. He is none the worse though for his mishap, being quite restored to health. Mr. Barber has been specially secured by Fletcher Bros. on account of his reputation as a pianist. He is also a solo horn player, and it is likely that he will join one of the local bands, where his presence will certainly be much appreciated.

> A NEW CURIO FOR THE PARK Chinese Bell of Ancient Manufacture



Is to Blame

Says the Mother of the Young Woman Arrested For Swindling.

Girl-Wife is Seriously III-She Shields the Missing Husband.

Mrs. Verona Peltier, the young woman—she is not more than 17 years of age—who was arrested for uttering Confederate bills, was fortunate in falling into the hands of the police, although she does not think so. She would have been near death, according to report, had she not done so. The unfortunate woman is suffering from pneumonia and has symptoms of measles, and is seriously ill in the matron's room at the city lock-up. She was poorly clad when arrested, for although she had a roll of bills—not Confederates—in her possession she had not sufficient clothing, and the fact that she and Peltier have been sleeping on the floor in cheerless rooms and in an empty house for the past two days prior to her arrest, has resulted in her serious illness.

The young woman is said by her mother to be the dupe of Peltier in the swindling operations which have been going on. She, however, shields the man, who is still at large, Lying ill at the city lock-up, she says that she alone is responsible for circulating the bills, that she sent for them and uttered them.

"Would you come and see him if he

noon from Victoria and is tied up at the C. P. R. wharf, say; the Vancouver News-Advertiser. She may possibly be used as a "home" for the non-union employees of the company, steamers having frequently been used for similar purposes in the Old Country.

Proupt Settlement.—The late Samuer Banner, who died a few weeks ago at the Jublee hospital, the victan of an unfortunate street car accident on Fort street, carried an insurance policy for \$1,000 with the Great West Life Assumed handed over to the heirs of the decens hand

Instead of a hardened criminal, this girl of just 17 is at once the shield and tool of a vile wretch, for whom, even now that she is deserted by him, slek and in prison, she would suffer to shield from the consequences of his crime.

Pultier and the girl ward to girl wardened to the consequence of the consequences.

Peltier and the girl were married by tev. Dr. Campbell about 18 months Rev. Dr. Campbell about 18 months ago—the young girl, a pretty blonde, being blindly in love with the man, whose antecedents were unknown. They lived in Spring Ridge for a time, and then moved across the line. Some months ago they returned and have been living in a hovel-like room on Yates street, sleeping on the floor, with but a blanket to protect them from the cold. The room was devoid of furniture other than a broken chair and a stove, the wood for which was chopped and littered about the floor of the room. This was the room from which they fled when the police called. They spent the stormy weather—two nights—in an empty house and were endeavoring to leave for Vancouver when arrested.

carte the hospitality accorded them, which hospitality was no easy matter, which hospitality was no easy matter, taking into consideration that the number to be entertained approached four hundred, they have unanimously decided that the next annual convention shall be held in the same city."

It is a long jaunt under any circumstances from Bangor, Maine, to this part of the continent, but the trip is rendered longer still when one is unfortunate enough to get mixed up in a railway accident and as a result is laid up in a hopital. Such has been the experience of Mr. David L. Barber who arrived yesterday by the Sound boat to take a position with Fletcher Bros., as salesman, and also having charge of the sheet music department. Mr. Barber was in the Grand Trunk accident at Whitby, and was obliged by reason of injuries received to undergo treatment in the emergency hospital at Toronto for three weeks. He is none the worse The girl fought hard to bluff the de

HIGH SCHOOL CADET CORPS

Much Progress Towards Organization-Uniform Which Is Suggested.

It is anticipated that within a few weeks a sufficient that within a few weeks a reply at an early date. The Victoria given considerable attention to the same matter.

Yukon Placers.—Recent advices from Dawson, Nos. 1 and 2 wide of the place of the policy of the polic

TO MARRY SEATTLE MAN.

Miss Rooney Makes Announcement From New Westminster.

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Annie Rooney has decided to marry a wealthy bachelor merchant having an establishment on First avenue in this city, says yesterday's Seattle Post-Intelligencer. She chade the announcement to the press last night from New Westminster, B. C., while leaving that place lat the solicitation of the police there. Wiss Rooney as well gave out the welcome news—welcome to the local police department—that she was on her way back to this city.

A telegram to the Post-Intelligencer from the place mentioned last night conveyed the information given. The cnessage mentions no name in connection with her diance, so the public must for a time wait or make surmises who this person may be The announcement of her engagement Annie made very vague, She said merely that she was going to marry a well known and wealthy merchant, at present single. The representatives of the press used almost every means possible to induce her to give forth her secret to the expectant public. But she maintained a discreet silence. Further than the announcement she had nothing to say.

Perhaps today the Seattle police force will be cheered by the presence of Miss Roney, as it is certain she will report at headquarters within a few hours at most after her arrival. It may be that the officers will send forth a conveyance to transport her in state through the streets of the city, It is certain they will her a passenger on the next vessel leaving Puget Sound for Guinea.

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Visitors of The Early Morn

Pandora Street Resident Wakened by Unknown Men Trying His Door.

Happenings in the City Police Court Yesterday Morning.

"Open that door-open it, or I'll break in."
This at 2.30 a. m. at a man's bedroom This at 2.30 a. m. at a man's bedroom door is not pleasant—and a resident of Pandora street knows it is not. He was askeep until he heard the turning of the door-knob, and the polite command of his early morning visitors. The rattling of the door-knob, and a repetition of the command awoke him, and he jumped out of bed.

"You will—will you?" he said. "Oh I don't know." Then he telephoned to the police station.

re police station.

The visitors did not wait until the olice constable arrived—they gave the police constable arrived—they gave the door-knob a parting shake and then disappeared. He saw them from the window leaving the front gate. There were two men, but in the darkness it was impossible to describe them.

If they were burglars, their methods would proclaim them as novices. The incident seemed more like a case of a pair of drunks and a mistaken house.

But the resident says the experience was not a pleasant one.

was not a pleasant one.

A crowd gathered in the police court yesterday morning. It was expected that some family "dirty linen" would be up for washing—but the crowd was disappointed. A father had charged his son with assault—and it was expected that other things which the police court loungers relish would come out in evidence.

It seems that the son is married, and lives at home. The father is persona non-grata, and he does not live at home. In other words his home is not his home. The mother and son say the father does not contribute to the support of his family, and is therefore undesirable. When he went there the son kicked him out, hence the charge of assault.

ascult.
However, when he thought of the notoriety, etc., as a result of the ventilation of the charge, he asked to be allowed to withdraw the charge. And so it was,

In connection with the arrest of Mrs. Verona Peltier for uttering Confederate bills on Chinese and Japanese it is interesting to note how much dependence can be placed on a description furnished the detectives by Chinese. When they were asked what the woman looked like, some said she was a blonde, others a brunette, but the majority held that she had a broad face and fair hair. Other details were given, but none fitted that of the woman.

Her face is more long than it is broad, and when one Chinaman was asked why he said she had a broad face, he replied:

asked why he said she had a broad face, he replied:
"She allee same broad longways—she not long broadways!"
Which shows how much advantage a description furnished by the China-men was to the detectives.

Two drunks appeared in the police court yesterday morning. One made his first appearance, and it cost him \$2.50. The other had been there before. He was fined \$5.

Two citizens were fined \$5 each for having driven their horses over bridges at a pace faster than a walk—and others have been summoned—the police having got very busy in this connection within the last few days.

Sims and Corker have two or three delivery carts, and the tax collector wants \$2 per cart as per the bylaw made and provided. Sims and Corker object and have retained Mr. E. A. Robertson to do their objecting. For two months the case has gone on in the police court, and yesterday morning it was called again. The arguments of Mr. Robertson for the defendants, and Mr. Bradburn for the city have been heard, and the magistrate will give his decision after looking up the authorities quoted, on Thursday next.

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SPORTS, PASTIMES.

The London Field of recent issue comments in the following interesting manner on the present conditions of yachting. To swantever combination of circumstances and events the present condition of yacht racing can be attributed, we fear the recapitalistion intereor will do little to re-establish the position of the sport. The transition from the hideyon days, when the rausition from the hideyon days, when the present crisis has been of a gradual nature, and the current year commences with the prespect of yacht racing being practically at a standstill.

To summarize the position, it may be SPORT

The Argonaut Henley erew will commence than training at once under the direction of Fred Thompson, the coach. The following candidates are available; Hardisty, Kent, Parmenter, Hamber, Boyd, Strange, Wright, D. Mackenzie, Bord, Strange, Wright, D. Mackenzie, Bartie, Oliver, Reiffenstein and Brehar. Bastedo will again act as coxswain, with either Parmenter, Oliver, or Wright as streke, Major J. Cooper Mason has retired, and Henry Duggan has gone to Montreal.

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CRICKET.

In 'King' an interesting article is conributed by Dr. W. G. Grace, who deals with the widening of the wicket and the iteration of rules. "There is danzgr." writes Dr. Grace, "in altering the rules and implements which have been in use so ong, and have helped to raise the game of such a beight of popularity. Certainly of change should be made unless the game of such a beight of popularity. Certainly not change should be made unless the proposed one is first given a good triad." On he question on the width of bats, he remarks how strange it is that the authorities should have allowed bats to be wider fain the rule allows. This rule, he says, will now be enforced and the players will have to use bats of proper width. Dr. Frace further he eves that we have heard he end of the "ibw" question for twenty ears.

THE GUN.

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The Capital Gun Cub will hold their annual meeting this evening at the club rooms to the content of the second haif of the international chess to the second haif of the international ches to the second haif of the international chess to the second haif of the international ches to the second haif of the international ches to

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Tendered to Mrs. J. W. Fox at Waitt's Hall Last Night.

A FAREWELL CONCERT.

The most important item of business considered at the meeting of the house committee at the Jubilee hospital yesterday afternoon was the question of putting metaphones into the various parts of the hospital, including patients' room and the various wards. After discussion in which the merits of this latest contrivance in the way of telephonic communication were considered, it was finally decided to order the installation of the instruments without delay. A long list of accounts were examined and passed. The meeting yesterday was a postponement from Tuesday, owing to the inclement weather conditions, and the irregularity of the year service in consequence thereof.

LNDIA AND TIBE MUTENY.

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HANDBALL.

The following are the results of games played out in the J. B. A. A. club handleap handball tournament:
Singles-C. F. Davie beat S. Jost, 21-16, 21-18; C. S. Finlayson beat D. Leeming by default; J. Hunter beat A. D. Relyen 21-12, 21-17; F. Hobbis beat J. Donaldson 21-17, 21-9; K. Glespie beat J. Hart 21-10, 21-13. Doubles-J. Leeming and J. Hunter beat J. Hart and F. J., Fowkes 21-18, 21-12. A fine programme has been prepared Bandmaster Finn for the promenade come at the Drill hall tomorrow evening. The band selections present a pleasing vare ranging from the negatiar "A Visit to the Minstrels," by Bowman to Suppe's over tire, "Morning, Noon and Night," Typedial attraction will be the basketh game between the Victoria West and Fewood teams. The entire programme flows:

DART L.

2. Gavotte—Our Little Nestlings . . . Mo 3. Popular Selection—A Visit to the Minstrels Bown (Introducing several old time min-

Basketball-Victoria West vs. hashedbul-Victoria West 18, rectaword March-Colosus Barkatbul-Second Half Selection from "Dolly Varden". Edwards (The latest work from the pen of the composer of Princess Chic.) God Save the King.

EXHIBITION FINANCES.

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Region of Auditor Finds all Moneys Accounted For.

Chas. Baxter, who was engaged to make an investigation into the affairs and accounts of the British Columbia Agricultural Association, yesterday submarted his report to his Worship Mayor MicCandess. Mr. Baxter says:

"The books kept by the secretary, while they appear to be correct enough their proper control. It must, however, be remembered that most of the work involved was crowded into the space of five very busy days, during while the secretary not only had to receive and account for moneys, but had to listen to innumerable complaints, protests and attend to the management of the exhibition. If I may be allowed to express an opinion on the subject, it seems to me utterly impossible to conduct successfully an exhibition of this kind, on the lines that have been used in the past. There have been too many heads, who were responsible to no one but, themselves. With half a dozen or more persons giving orders for cash, it was almost impossible for the secretary to keep any sort of cheek upon the exhibition of this kind, on the lines that have been used in the past. There have been too many heads, who were responsible to no one but, themselves. With half a dozen or more persons giving orders for cash, it was almost impossible for the secretary to keep any sort of cheek upon the similar mode of management. I would that all departments were enducted hones the same would be the case again under to keep it within the revenue, and the condition of the same would be the case again under to keep it within the revenue, and the condition of the condit

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The report will be submitted at a special necting to be immediately arranged for, of the board of directors of the exhibition.

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Progressing: Une's John—"Way, my girl, you've grown like a cucumber vine! What, progress are you making toward matrimony?" 'Clara—"We'l, uncle, I'm on the fifth lap.—Tit-Bits.

WEEKLY WEATHER SYNOPSIS.

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Mr. W. D. Johnson, Thisonberg, Ont.,
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Ge forth, upon compulsion, and labor in the mines.

The winds of the West have heard it, the stars of the South replied.
When the Lords of the Onter Marches went forth on a full ress ride.
That the son of the swarthy Kaffir must wake from an idle sleep.
When the lone grey Mother calls for toll, and the Lord has made if cheap.

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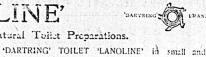
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LAND REGISTRY ACT.

In the matter of the application of Albert Edward Todd for a Certificate of Indefeasible Title to part 5 22:100 acres of Section Sixty-Slight (68) Victoria District, delineated on the Map or Plan attached to a certain Deed of Conveyance, dated 18th November, 1889, and made between He'en Matten of the one part, and Thomas Enrie of the other part.

Notice is hereby given that a Certificate of Indefeasible Title to the above heredinaments will be issued to Abert Edward Todd on the 7th day of May, 1903, unless in the meantime a valid objection thereto be made to me in writing by some person claiming an estate or interest thereta or in some part thereof.

S. Y. WOOTTON, Registrar-General.

Land Registry Office. Victoria. B. C., 2nd February, 1993.

Notice is hereby given that I. A. H. Tyson, as lideensee, and I. william natroson, as holder of Temporary permit, intend to apply to the Board of Licensing Commissoners at their next sitting as a Licensing Board for the transfer of my license for the sale of whee and iliuous by retail, upon the premises, the Manhattan Sa'oon, corner of Yates and Broad streets, to Fred Carne, the younger, or alternatively that instead of such retail license, there may be granted to the said Fred Carne, the younger, as our Transferee, a license pursuant to sub-section 3, section 171, Chap 144.

Dated this 7th day of February, 1903.

(Sgd.) A. H. Tysor Notice is hereby given that I. A. H.

(Sgd.) A. H. TYSOT (Sgd.) WELLIAM HARRISOV "LAND REGISTRY ACT."

In the matter of the application of Leon Curtat for a Certificate of Indefeasible Title to Lots Three Hundred and Ninety-Six (3906, Six Hundred and Five (605) and Six Hundred and Six (606) Victoria City Notice is hereby given that a Certificate of Indefeasible Title to the above herediaments will be issued to Leon Curtat on the 28th day of May, 1903, unless in the meantime a valid objection thereto be made to me in writing by some person claiming an estate or interest therein or in some part thereof.

S. Y. WOOTTON.

part thereof.

S. Y. WOOTTON.,
Registrar-General.
Victoria, B. C., 19th
February, 1903. YATES & JAY. Solicitors for Applicant.

LAND REGISTRY ACT.

In the matter of the application of Charles Hayward, for a Certificate of Indeceasible Title to Lot Twelve Hundred and Seventy-Eight (278) Block Forty-Six (46) Victoria City, having a frontage on Erle street of Sixty (60) feet from Lot Twelve Hundred and Eighty-Nine (1289) in said Block Forty-Six (46). Victoria City. Notice is hereby given that a Certificate of Indefeasible Title to the above hereditaments will be issued to Charles Hayward on the 7th day of May, 1903, unless in the meantime a valid objection thereto be made to me in writing by some person claiming an estate or interest therein or in some part thereof.

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New York, March 12.—The stock market loday started out with its recent tendency to reverse its position of the day before. This vacilitating course is usual towards the termination of a wide price movement, but the arc-measuring of the oscillation fell to such small proportions today that the room traders became discouraged in their efforts to scalp a profit and in the end abandoned the market to semi-stagnation. Speculative attention reverted to special causes affecting individual stocks and today's largest ocalings and whiest movements were in this class. There was no evidence of further argent pressure of liquidation and call loans were made on the stock exchange at 5 to 545 per cent. This was partly due to the viscase of funds by liquidation of stocks unt

TORONTO MINING ENCHANGE QUO-TATIONS. TATIONS.

(Furnished by The Stuart Robertson Co., Ltd., Maning Brokers, 23 Broad street.)

Toronto, March 12.—The following were the closing quotations on the Maning Ex-

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Wilson—Thornton, that the tender of A. A. Crunckshanks of \$100 for the work on the Promatory road, be accepted.

Good—McConnedl, that Pathmuster D. Nevin be Instructed to have the bridge on the Mercer road, at Rosedale covered, with 3-inch plank.

Ashwell—Lackman, that I. Klipp be allowed three days statute labor for work with the road machine, in addition to ten days before allowed Wilson—Thornton, that the Licut-Governor in council be requested to appoint Geo. W. Chadsey a district registrar of the Supreme court, without any additional salary.

the Supreme court, without any additions salary.
Wilson—Thornton, that our solleiter he instructed to prepare the necessary releases for the several mortgages which mature in April next, that the reeve and cerk be authorized to sign, and aff.x the corporate seal to the same.
McCouncil—Good, that Harry Warden he paid the sum of \$1 for labor on the trunk road.

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1903," were reconsidered, finally passed, and ordered signed and sealed. The "Culliwhack Municipat Council Mode of Proceedure By-Law" was passed through list first, second and third readings, and ordered for reconsideration on the 14th Inst. On motion the Council adjourned to meet on Saturday, the 14th of March, 1963. S. A. CAWLIDY, C.M.C.

KANSAS CITY STRIKE.

Husbands and Make a Hit.

Kansas City, March 12.—Two women, Mrs. G. B. Evans and Mrs. H. Meyers, took the places of their husbands, non-union men, today and drove trucks about town in defiance of the striking Transfer Company's drivers. They met with no interference, but instead, the men lifted their hats as the women drove by and cleared the way for their vehicles. About 50 additional men went out during the day, making a total of 255, and as but few men were hired in their blaces, the business of the transfer companies, was practically at a standstill.

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country is that students should have completed at least the second year of their studies in an American university of their studies in an American university. Alluding to the same topic, the Halibefore being sent to Oxford. He thinks students will be eligible up to their 24th year. Each State in the Union will be allowed two three-year scholarships, the first appointment to be made in 1904.

GCEAN TRAVEL.

The Increasing Population of the Big Atlantic Libers.

The advance in the average population of all liners is, says Engineering, very the average woman is quite incapable striking, and suggests that the increase in size of ships is fairly universal. Thus, the average boy at the very time when in the past year, there were 922 arrivals that boy most needs such management.

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aldord returned the very high average
of 1.130 per trip. For the past year the
bown ships and average of 1.242, the
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Jaa Veloce (also by steerage ships), of
1941; the Prince line with steerage
ships, 1952. Chard company, 784.
AWe thus find that, whereas two years
ago, the highest average was 886 for
the White Star line where for the
year under review cight lines exceeding
ting. It is store the number of cabin
passengers, the Cunard company again
take first place so far as average, is
concerned. The average of the Cunard
dine is is 320, as compared with
the 275 which gave them the corresponding position last year. The
German Loyd, with the Brennes highfor in 1896 it was as hich as 315.
The White Star line again takes seond place with 283, as compared with
the 275 which gave them the corresponding position last year. The
German Loyd, with the Brennes highhave again come into third place
with 280, and 158 in 1888, so that
in their case there has been a very
sleady advance, the average since 1896
having increased more than three-fold.
The American fine takes fourth place
this year with 237 cabin passengers, as compared with 310 in the
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of the Hamburg-American line
with 200 cabin passengers, as compared with 180 in the previous year; a result of the place

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sion to declare himself on that point. He says that it is semewhat difficult to get male teachers, as men are not now taking up. school teaching as a profession so much so as formerly. He thinks as profession so much so as formerly. He thinks an interest and the seme almost useless to try to put on the market a teacher, as men good ones, considered from a pecuniary standpoint.

Magistrate—"Why did you steal that ham, Uncle Rastus—"Dekase mah poob fambly wus startin, you ham, which were man ham ham, which were man ham ham, which were man ham ham, which were man ham ham, which were man ham, which was ham, which we have man ham, which were man ham, which were m

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Tenders are invited for the erection of a one room frame school house for Grand Pratrie. Applications will be received up o March 30th. o march 30th.

Tenders are also called for the erection fa lockup at Atlin. Tenders to be sent to A. Fraser, government agent, At.in.

VARIOUS.

The minister of contacts.

is to take place on the Lord A. Revelstoke.

A copy of the Cape of Good Hope Immigration Act is also pub/shed. This contains the restrictions imposed upon intending inimigrants.

The examining board for assayers' certificates give notice that a certificate has been issued to Richard L. Wright, of Rossland.

THE WEATHER.

Meteorological Office, Victoria, March 12.-8 p.n SYNOPSIS.

poo the temperature was considerable to you zero. Owing to the presence of a storn area farther south, rain is falling in Oregon and California. Zero temperatures sail prevail in Alberta. TEMPERATURE.

Victoria
New Westminster
Kamloops
Barkerville
Dawson FORECASTS.

FORECASTS.

For 24 hours from 5 a. m. (Pachic time)

Friday:
Victoria and Vicinity: Moderate or fresh
northerly w.nds, gene.ally fair and
cold.

Lower Mainland: Light or moderate winds,
generally fair and cold.

VICTORIA DAILY RECORD.

Report for 24 hours ending 5 p. m. Obervations taken dally at 5 a, m., noon and
to m. THURSDAY, MARCH 12.

Average state of weather—Fair. Rain and metted snow—03 inch. Sunshine—7 hours, 30 m.nutes. Barometer at noon—Observed....

NEW WESTMINSTER.

Barometer at 5 p. m -Corrected...

"Yes," said the great scientist, "this specimen was put away in alcohol when that article of commerce was worth a king's rerson." "So?" remarked the visitor, "Well, I should say, for a dead cre, it's seems to be in high spirits."—Baltimore News.

Re-arrange the parishes in the City by the army?'. "Yes, suh, but I doesn't count must to the demands of the parish, and use the surplus for more necess'tous dis-tricts; but spare the churches.—Saturday Reylew.

In the "Smart Set": First divinity student—"What is the subject for discussion at the Debating Society to-night?" Second ditto—"The Influence of Creased Trousers on the Decadence of Prayer."—Ex. And collect damages: Hiram—"Where ye goin with that blind hoss, an' that o' ramshackle wagon?" Sl'as—"I'm goin' un the vond a piece, an' see if I can't meet one o' them autembles."—Smart Set.

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